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Dear Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application-Filing Date Granted, which was mailed from the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on August 19, 1999, the response to which was due October 19, 1999. A Request for Extension of Time accompanies this response. This request resets the response to November 19, 1999.

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The following papers are submitted herewith:

- 1. Notice to File Missing Parts of Application Filing Date Granted;
- 2 Declaration and Power of Attorney signed by Rainer Hahner, Rüdiger

Walter and Jim Siekmann. (A signed Oath by the other named inventors was filed with the application);

3. Petition for Extension of Time;

The attached materials are fully responsive to the Notice of August 19, 1999. Should there be any additional material required, please contact the below-named attorney.

Respectfully submitted,

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